PRICE 324 PER MONT L 號九十二月正英港香 HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 29TH, 1887. 日六初月正年三十緒光 **姚三十七零千九**第 NOTICES OF FIRMS. .. NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. NEW AUCTIONS BANKS. INTIMATIONS. SHIPING. UNION LINE. PUBLIC AUCTION. AR. EDUARD JEAN MAX PACEIN THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK TANE CRAWFORD & Co., NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES THE Undersigned has received instructions ARRIVALS. A has THIS DAY been admitted BARTNER CORPORATION, LIMITED. January 27, LEESANG, British steamer, 1,092, W to Sell by Pablic Anction. in our Firm in China and elsowhere. FROM LONDON PENANG AND PIANO AND MUSIC DEPARTMENT. Hongkong, 1st January, 1887. THIS DAY. Sawer, Walm 23rd January, Rice.-JAR-SINGAPORE. the 29th January, 1897, at 2 r. M., at his -NEW MUSIC-THE Steamship IN BANKRUPTCY. This Department has been greatly enlarged Registered Office, 40, Tureadneedle Street.

DINE, MATHESON & Co. January 28, Iolani, British steamer, 981, Allason, Java 22nd January, Sugar .-ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

January 28, ESMERALDA, British steamer, 395. T. Hamlin, Manila 25th January, General. -Russell & Co.

January 28, Nonden, Daniel str., 763, Davidson, Wuhn 22nd January, Rico.-WIELER & Co.

S. Thomson, London and Singapore 21st Jan., General - ARNHOLD, KARBURO & Co. Standard Music January 28, Athorn, British steamer, 923, Coulter, Saigon 22nd January, Rice and Paddy .-- BUN HIN CHAN. January 28, Socciow, British steamer, 326, Koch, Macao 28th January, General.-CHI. OPERAS:-Vocal Scores, Piano Scores, Violin

January 28, CARISBROOKE, British steamer 973, R. Cass, Saigon 23.d January, Rice .-MORRIS & RAY.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

28TH JANUARY. Scochow, British str., for Holhow. Kallione, German bark, for Elephant Point. Anton, German str., for Hoihow. Else, German ship, for Manila.

DEPARTURES.

January 28, Vonga, French str., for Saigon. Japuary 28, ADOLPH, German bark, for Ham-

January 28, HATON BROWN, Amr. bark, for New York. January 28, LEESANG, British str., for Wham-

January 28, Norden, Danish str., for Wham-

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Esmeralda, str., from Manila.—Revs. Mogureza and J. Masip. Messrs. G. C. Pakenham and R. A. Lane, and 2 Chinase. Per Atholl, str., from Sairon.-10 Chinese. Per Carisbrooke, str., from Saigon.-10 Chi-

Per Saltee, str., for Haiphong. - Messrs. Fauvel Bavier Chauffour, Camille Gauthier, Philippe, Jallon and 2 children, and 25 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The British steamer Esercialda, from Manila WRAPPERS, JACKETS, and GOWNS 25th January, reports had moderate to fresh N.E. monsoon and cloudy weather with heavy JEWELLERY, and Hungreds of ELEGANT N.E. swell throughout

The British steamer Leesang, from Wahn 23rd January, reports had beavy N.E. gale with thick, rainy coather and high following sea throughout the passage.

The British steamer Kaisow, from London and monsoon, high see, and finly weather.

The British steamer Carisbrooke, from Saigon 23rd January, reports had moderate monsuon with fine weather to north of Paracels; from thence to pori strong monsoon with rain and high sea and gloomy weather.

## INTIMATI NS.

NOTICE. LEASE.

· THE SPACIOUS PREMISES known a the HONGKONG STEAM LAUNDRY COMPANY (LIMITED), comprising A SIX ROOMED DWELLING.

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A. O. D. GOURDIN. Manager. Hongkong, 28th January, 1887.

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THE COTE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the STANDARD LIFE ASSUR-ANCE COMPANY, was held at EDINBURGH per Dozen. On Cardboard 20 Cents each on TUESDAY, the 11th of May, 1886, and the following Results for the Year ended 15th No-

vember, 1885, were reported:-2.403 Proposals were accepted, 2 1,260,137 CLAIMS PAID during the Year & 545,197 THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON ANNUAL REVENUE amounted to .... £ 897,870 ACCUMULATED FUNDs amounted to £ 6.592,973

an increase during the year of £ 126,446 INCREASE OF ASSURANCES during present Quinquennium ..... } £ 521,074 2.516 Policies assuring ..... After setting aside a Gnarantee Fund of £40,000 from the Profits of the previous five Years, a Bonus was declared-

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years' standing becoming claims between 15th 8 Cents per package. November, 1886, and 15th November, 1890. PROPOSAL FORMS and all information, on application to any of the Company's Agents. THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, Agents. Hongkong, 6th July, 1886.

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H V. Daily Press Office. Hongkong. 28th January, 1887.

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beginners. Volumes:-Volumes of Songs, Volumes of Pinno Solas, Volumes of Dance Music and Volumes of Classical Mu.ic.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. "Hongkong, 5th January, 1887. DREWER HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING :-

Whitaker's Almanacks. Swinging Waltz, Love's Dreamland Waltz. Mine Alone Waltz, Leveland Echoes Waltz. Little Soldiers Vocal Waltz, Bucallosi's Dorothy Waltz, Southern Breeze Waltz. India Rubber Handles for Tennis Bats. Very handsome Fans in all Colours. . Winsor & Newton's Oil Colour Boxes, all sizes. Field Sketching Companion.

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CLARET, viz., Monton, Larose. St. Estephe,
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Showing Dates of DEPARTURE of the

ENGLISH and FRENCH MAILS from HONG-KONG, of their anticipated ARRIVALS in LONDON, and the Dates of RETURN DESPATCHES; and containing also a similar Table regarding -PARCEL POST

AN ALMANAC FOR 1887. On Paper 10 Cents each, or One Dollar ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR

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Run Daily (Sundays included) starting punc-LEAVES KOWLOON at 6.15 A.M., 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 1.00 P.M., 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, and 11.30. LEAVES HONGKONG. A.M., 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30 11.30, 12.30 p.m., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30

6.30, 11.00, 12.00,

For Further Particulars, &c., Apply to W. KERFOOT HUGGES, Agent, Pedder's Street.

Hongkong, 6th May, 1886. DORTLAND CEMENT J. B. WHITE & BROS. SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA. HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. Hongkong, 11th April, 1888,

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H. A. HERBERT,

Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 31st May, 1886. TONGKONG&SHANGHALBANKING CORPORATION.

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Hongkong, 28th August, 1896.

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may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by ....... 3 Depositors in the Savings Bank having H. E. REYNELL & Co. in Japan ...... \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Benking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest..... 4 .- Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their

with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must ADDITIONAL ARTICLE to the CHEFOO not make any entries themselves in their Pass-The "Square bottle". Whisky of Napier John- Books, but should send them to be written up the Treaty Ports on the 1st of February next. at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank

.6.—Correspondence as to the business of the RUSINESS is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7 .- Withdrawals may be unde on demand, Superior and reliable. Amoroso, MANZA- but the personal attendance of the Depositor or NILLA. & PALE DEV SHERRY, distin- his duly appointed Agent, and the production of For the Honghong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION.

JOHN WALTER. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.

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THE KUNG HO CHIH YU WALTZ

THE FEIHOO WALTZES, R. C. PASSMORE, published by SYDENHAM MOUTRIE,

THE PLANOFORTE AND MUSIC WAREHOUSE Shanghai. 12th January, 1887.

HONGKOL CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBUAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

1 HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF ROOMS, with TENNIS GROUND if possible. SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be Imilediate Possession or from the 1st August held at the Office of the Company, No. 7. Queen's | next, and could be taken for a long term, if Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd February, at THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTER-NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with a statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing [37 Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th instant to the

By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 13th January, 1887.

2nd February inclusive.

Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, SUNDRY JAPANESE WARE, Comprising: SATSUMA, KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, and TOKYO

VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, IN-CENSE BURNERS, TEA and COFFEE SETS EGG SHELL WARE, ENAMELLED WARE, GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZES, EMBROIDERIES, EMBROI-DERED SCREENS. BLACKWOOD GARVED INLAID PANEL CABINETS and BRACKETS.

TERMS OF SALE. As customary. J. M. AR ASTRONG, Anotioneer. Hongkong, 26th January, 1887. TO LESET-

MOUNT KELLETT. TO LET-FURNISHED. HE FIVE ROOMED HOUSE "BAN-GOUR"-Tennis Court attached.

For Particulars, apply to MESSES, BIRD & PALMER, Architects. Hongkong, 26th January, 1887. TO LET. With Immediate Occupation.

HE COMMODIOUS PREMISES known as the P. & O. OED OFFICES lately in the occupation of the Hondrong AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. For Further Particulars, apply to the Under-E. L. WOODIN,

Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1886. TO LET. TOOMS IN "COLLEGE CHAMBERS."

No. 16, HOLLTWOOD BOAD. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 30th July, 1886. TO RELET.

DETATCHED HOUSE, Bonham Road, 5 ROOMS. GODOWNS, Praya East. Apply to LENSTEAD & DAVIS\_ Hongkong, 9th December, 1886.

OOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS. DOUGLAS LATRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 'st Feurpary, 1882

\_\_\_\_TO LET.

TO BE LET. Possession on the 1st January, 1887. THE PREMISES now occupied by Messrs. MELCHERS & Co. on the Praya and Pedder Street. The First and Second Floors will be let in Flats, Single Rooms, or in suits as The GROUND FLOOR which has hitherto

divided to meet the requirements. All can be taken for a year or on Lease. For Further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES. Pedder's Street.

Hongkong, 17th September, 1886.

NOTICE. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis | THE Undersigned has received information effected. from HEE MAJESTY'S MINISTER that the CONVENTION will come into Force at be enturtained after the 30th instant. (Sd.) CHAL ALABASTER.

H. B.M. Convulate. Canten, 22nd January, 1887. NOTICE TO MARINERS. No. 4, SPECIAL.

CHINA SEA. SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the WRECK of the Chinese Transport "WAN-MIEN CHING" lies sunk in Three Fathoms at low water, spring tides, with the Tungsha Lightship bearing
North 26° 24' West (Magnetic), Distant 7.10ths nautical miles. A. M. BISBEE,

Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs, Coast Inspector's Office. Shanghai, 26th January, 1887. NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their

arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's Foremen should be at hand, orders for repairs if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays Central, will receive prompt attention. In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. HE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. TEN-NENT, Glasgow, and Messes DAVID CORSAR & Sons, Arbroath.

of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable in his Studio or at Mossrs. KELLY & WALSH'S. IVORY MINIATURES of Superior Quality and February, both days inclusive. of Excellent and High Finish. PERMANENT ENLARGEMENTS of Photos. and Views and reproductions of the same on Paper, Canvas, or INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and POR-TRAITS are taken in any state of the weather.

Moderate Terms. STUDIO-ICE HOUSE LANE. [62 WANTED. DETACHED HOUSE or BUNGALOW THE FORTY-FIRST ORDINARY A on the upper level, containing Five

> Apply to Care of Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 18th January, 1887. SUNG Со.. COAL MERCHANTS. have always on hand. LABGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP TION OF COAL.

> Address -- Care of Mosers, h wong Sung & Co.,

No. 68, PRAYA

required.

Captain Titzek, having arrived from the above orts, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the

immediate delivery of their Goods from along-The steamer is berthed at the Kowloon Piers, and Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 4th Prox., or they will not be recognized.

Hongkong, 25th January, 1887. STEAMSHIP "OCEANIEN." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

RUSSELL & Co.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London. Antwerp, Havre, and Bordeaux, Ex S. S. "GANGE," "ROMANUL," BIENDOZA," and "AUNIS." in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Ontional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before TUESDAY, 10 A.M., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

Goods remaining unclaimed after MON-DAY, the first instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges at One Cent per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 2nd February, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent. Hengkong, 23rd January, 1887. FROM GLASGOW, LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship ...

"GLENFRUIN," boats delivery may be obtained. notice to the contrary be given before Noon, 14th February, 1887.
TO MORROW, the 28th instant. Dated the 27th day Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd February will be subject to reat.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by \_\_ JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 27th January, 1887. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SINGAPORE. HE Steamship . ... "ARRATOON APCAR." having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send ducing all the most popular Operas of the Day and other well-known Perfumes are unequalled for in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. The steamer is berthed at the Hongkong and Point, and Cargo impeding her discharge will be

at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be only performed by this Company in its entire Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will originality. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 27th January, 1887.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and Miss ELSA WILSON take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex "ROMANUL" and "MELBOURNE." H (in dia.), 101/200 Antwerp, consigned to Do. 361/400 Order. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, 3rd January, 1887. TIMBER. HF Undersigned, Agents for Messra Mr. HARRY FRANKLIN E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., Sandakan, British North Borneo, are now prepared to

General purposes. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 2nd November, 1886. WANTED. A FAMILY RESIDENCE of 5 or 6 Rooms,
DETACHED HOUSE, with Immediate

Possession or Later. Address. Care of Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 6th January, 1887. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, January, 1867.

OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the above Company will be held at the Company No. 14. Praya
Contral, on SATURDAY, the 26th February, TUESDAY, the 8th February, 1887, at 4 P.M.;

Has just added to his COLLECTION
Report of the Directors together togethe THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING Has just added to his COLLECTION Report of the Directors and Statement of Directors, together with a Statement of Ac-Accounts to December 31st, 1886. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 26th

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Secretary. Hongkong, 20th January, 1887. and all Permanent Processes, are executed on DRAPERS, HOSIERS,

D. GILLIES.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

JUST RECEIVED. GUARANTEED the very best Quality HOLLAND GENEVER or GIN in Cases of One Dozen or less, White Crystal Glass have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be Pany's Office. Bottles, Key Brand. Also GENEVER in Stone Bottles and Noon, on the 5th Proximo, or they will not be 171 POMERANZEN BITTERS.

GUNS, RIFLES, REVOLVERS, CART

DRESSMAKERS.

No. 3, LYNDEURST TREEACE.

RIDGES, SHOT, &c., &c., &c. The RISING HOPE BEAG TOBACCO from Nelle, (Rotterdam.) J. F. SCHEFFER, 91, 423, Pottinger Street

THE Undersigned will enter into PARTNERsurp on the 1st January, 1887, as SHARE AND GENERAL BROKERS under the Style or Undersigned for countersignature and to take Firm "HUGHES & EZRA." E. JONES HUGHES, N. N. J. EZRA.

Hongkong, 31st December, 1886.

NOTICE. WE Have This Day authorized Mr.
JOHANN GEORG LUDWIG JOHANN GEORG LUDWIG SCHROTER to SIGN one Firm per proguration. MEYER & Co. Hongkong, 21st January, 1887.

NOTICE. ALFRED BUESING BROECKEL MANN, and Mr. JUSTUS FRIEDRICH HEINRICH HEYN, have been admitted PARTNERS in our Firm in Hongkong and

China from this date. Hongkong & China, 1st January, 1887. [86]

NOTICE.

FITHE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. LOUIS PIRON in our Firm CEASED on the 1st January, 1887. HAHN, PIRON & Co. Mr. GEORGE SACHSE has been admitted

PARTNER in our Firm from the 1st of January

HAHN, PIRON & Co. Hongkong, 14th January, 1887. ADVER USEME TS.

HONGKONG. IN BANKBUPTCY. IN THE MATTER OF TSUI TSZ HI. &

Bankrupt.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

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Still in this case I criminals, and if action is not taken by the Go-Gordon, Superintendent of Victoria Gaol, to be maintained in this way without work- Empress of Japan has also taken a fanoy to Eu- in braving unknown perils, and the boldness of The despatch was laid on the table. again makes serious complaint of the over- ing rather than to find security even when crowding of the present building. We note, they would have no difficulty in doing so. however, his remark that " the building of Another cause which contributes to the overa new gaol seems unlikely to be undertaken crowding of the gaol is the locking up of growth of Tentonic influence at Tokyo may be it impassable hithorie. 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They overcrowd the gaol; they are volcano Tarumai, in the province of Iburi, Hok- larly free from difficulties. There is no country than as it appears in the edition of a benevolent society without making it a secret take such an expensive work, and, moreover, neither deterred from gambling by imprison- kaido, is again in eruption. The mountain is occupied by independent tribes to traverse. Five the Ordinances published in 1866. The society. having commercial or political relations with the the investment would be one from which ment not are they improved. It is too much stated by Professor Milns in his "Volcanous of marches along a road made by the British au- punishment for belonging to the Triad or other The Acting Colonial Secretary—The it would derive but little benefit. If we to be feared that many of them are dete- 1871; October 7th, 1883; January 4th, 1885; Thibetan frontier itself, at a point where it has prisonment with or without hard labour, as men. Christmas was clearly traced by the Superinhad only our own criminals to deal with it | riorated and corrupted by compulsory and and April 28th, 1886. In the afternoon of 10th | been visited by scores of official and non-official tioned in that Ordinance, 1 of 1845, but the offen- tendent to this society. ous to recapitulate in an Advertisement, but would be at once our duty and interest to constant association with the criminal classes fested. Ashes continued to fall for several hours gives direct access to civilised Thibet, which was to be expelled from the colony. This led to this objection might be met by the insertion of the constant association with the criminal classes. It is this abjection might be met by the insertion of the constant association with the criminal classes. It is this objection might be met by the insertion of the constant association with the criminal classes. attempt the reform of the criminal class, they meet in gaol." Surely nothing can be in the vicinity of Taramai-mura, and on the abuts upon the Nepaulese and Sikkim frontiers, some correspondence with the Secretary of State, a clause into the Bill, and that there would be But such is not the case. As Major-General at once more absurd and unjust than to lock neighbouring coast even after these had dis-GORDON says :- " It must be remembered up a coolie for staking five cash on fantan that in the peculiar position of Hougkong, and treat him as a criminal when he is guilty ing this time for four days. A large slip ocprison administration, however excellent, can of no greater moral crime than our Legislahave but a very small influence in diminish- tive Councillors and Government servants and other debris fell so thickly as to change the streaked with gray, square-featured, large body, ing the criminal population, which is not so who buy Manila lottery tickets. If space in configuration of the sea shore to some extent. much bred in the Colony as imported from the gaol is so very scarce what there is No injury to life has been reported,—Japan the neighbouring Chinese provinces, and ought to be put to the best use and not the greater or smaller influx of which is wasted in providing accommodation for chiefly dependent on extraneous causes." We men who ought never to be sent thereare glad to see this fact so clearly recognised by Granting, however, that after all available Major-General Gondon, and wecan only hope measures have been taken to reduce the critics professed to detect in the project a schome Previous to entering upon the stage, he held a ever been obtained under the provisions of sion-Messrs. 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Without placing given an opportunity to grasp his flesh, lawful act arising out of his connection with that ministration might be brought up to a higher tive to the erection of an enlarged gaol, and any faith in this silly suspicion, there was still and with ears on the alert to listen to the hunks society. As far as my knowledge of the matter able to lay the minutes of the proceedings of the state than its present one, but however ex. that is the adoption of Major-General Gorcellent it may be its effect in diminishing the pon's suggestion that short sentence pricellent it may be its effect in diminishing the pon's suggestion that short sentence prishould be inaugurated in the same year. Unless criminal population will be insignificant, somes, that is, men sentenced to six months the Government had very remarkable confidence is full and deep, there is a rich rolling of the Ordinance punishing members of the Triad So- would not otherwise have given evidence. What the colony must chiefly rely on to and under, should be removed to some other should work smoothly and without exciting politi- the colonel is not a dramatic speaker, but a trial of these offenders. The then Chief Justice constant dry human pervades everything he says objected to the Ordinance, however, and the matcrime is a large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria prudent to invite visitors from all parts of the large and vigilant Police Force, says, would leave space enough in Victoria produce from the large and affording to the criminal classes the very Gael to accommodate long sentence prisoners smallest possible opportunity of carrying on on the separate system, and also give more this source of surprise by referring to the separate system, and also give more this source of surprise by referring to the separate system, and also give more this source of surprise by referring to the separate system, and also give more this source of surprise by referring to the separate system. room for industrial work. their depredations against society. Behind the Police. Force there must of course be the machinery for punishing the wrongdoers who may be detected in crime, but the punishment ought as a rule to be short and sharp, operations were to be commenced in a few days. pared in the Department of Agriculture and subsequent conveys of the short and sharp, operations were to be commenced in a few days. only those criminals whom it is absolutely Compulsory observance of the Sabbath seems channels, and that the date of opening the exhibition will soon be announced. Intending exhibition will soon be announced. Intending exhibition will soon be announced. Intending exhibition will soon be announced. for lengthened periods. For petty larcenies, in a local paper that several Chinese were arrest- bitors are reminded that it is time to think of mander of the army of Northern Virginia. He Superintendent of Victoria Gaol, it was reported section 18 of Ordinance 14 of 1870, which prohi-

ed about two o'clock on a Sunday morning for making preparations.

clergyman is engaged in bringing out an embossed bible for the use of the blind in China, who are yery numerous there, as in all other Eastern countries.

dock at Mare Island. She is being fitted out north-northeast and rain. At8 p.m. handed lower and will be down between the 5th and 10th January. She will probably go to China.

By kind permission of Captain Griffen, Divine Service will be held to morrow, at eleven o'clock, on board the American barque Edward who has been flogged for any offence is Kidler by the Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, Seamen's not for that reason considered incapable Chaplain. The Bethel flag will be hoisted. The Messageries Maritimes steamer Iraou-

addy, with the next outward French mail, dated

London 31st December, is to leave Singapore at

packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 23rd November. Chinese opium appears to be finding its way into Burmah. The Rangoon Gazette reports that got the ship before the wind and sea. Friday, on the 10th inst an Excise Officer made a seizure. November 19th, p.m., bent another lower mainon the 10th inst. an Excise Officer made a seizure of Yunnan opium in a Chinaman's house in 21st

just arrived from Mandalay, into custody. The "Chronicle and Directory for China, sails and running gear all more or less chafed of penal-servitude has not so many terrors Japan, the Philippines," &c., &c., &c., is now and some broken. Saturday, November 20th, for the professional criminal as the penalty of its twenty-four predecessors, and contains the cargo and stores; winds getting more variof twenty or thirty lashes which accompanies many new features. The directory proper is able, and at last had some hopes of making pasit. In fact, flogging would be the best de- considerably extended, and the appendix contains eage to the north. November 25th, passed the

inal, as it now does. It may be safely said I vised and brought up to date.

Their Majesties the Emperor and Empress of that we should not have so large a crop of murderers and other criminals in the city if these fellows knew that their trial would be to Taketoyo, passing through Otsu, Nagahama, first class. Mr. Denby has demonstrated that speedy and that the lash would await them at the end, as well as a term in State Prison." Taketoyo for Yokohama. In the Legislative Council a fortnight ago

the Acting Attorney-General said he hoped at the following meeting to introduce a Bill has, not yet been brought forward, and berg, expected here to-morrow.

large jar which suggested the idea of a funeral Denby, and, the natural result of such a selection fliction of this penalty, but it is doubtful whether it is to be employed for minor of contain a quantity of Keicho gold coins of the to the highest grade. Our other great Asiatic fences. Prejudice has, we fear, too strong aggregate value of eighteen thousand yen. We have received from the Agents (Mesars:

to admit of this. If, however, it is a question between building a new gaol and gineering, a new illustrated weekly journal vernments commissioned to that Court. making more extensive use of the rattan a new gaol would come out of the pockets of

which wont ashore on Tsin-seu Island, are to the effect that the fore compartment and angine comfort, health, and general welfare the room are full of water, and that a considerable Government evinces such extraordinary ten- portion of the cargo has been salved, but who ther the vessel will be got off is a matter of underness. We say the bulk of the cost would certainty. At the regular meeting of the Victoria Chapter of Royal Arch Freemasons, No. 525, held taxes than the Chinese, yet the latter are in on Thursday evening, the following officers were

Further particulars to hand concerning the

China Navigation Co.'s steamer Hangchow,

elected for the ensuing year :- M.E.Z., E. Comp. such overwhelming numbers that in the gross G. C. Cor; H., Comp. M. Falconer; J., Comp. they contribute much the larger sum to the J. W. Croker; Treasurer, Comp. A. R. Madar; revenue. If a poll were taken of the Scribe E., Comp. J. D. Ball; Scribs N., Comp. E. Herbst: P.S., Comp. D. Gillies: Janitor, Comp. J. Maxwell. Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, C.M.G., has resumed his duties as Police Magistrate, and yesterday morning disposed of such cases as were before doubt as to what the answer would be? the court for trial. As has been the case for a week past they were very few in number, and

of no public interest—a few more late cracker

a case of drunkenness. The present dismal

weather damps even the enterprise of the ori-

minal classes. The following charters have been concluded at Manila :- The British ship Emma Marr. 799 tons, from Cebu to Liverpool, sugar and hemp, private terms; the British ship Berbice, 616 vate terms; the Spanish steamer Isla de Mindance, 3,635 tons, Manila to Liverpool, 300 tons fined for want of finding security for good moist sugar at £1 and 3,600 bales hemp at £2 All letters for publication should be written on one behaviour. These men are not made to work. 12s. 6d.; and the American ship John J. T. Berry, 1,348 tons, for New York, sugar and hemp, private terms.

We hear that a telegram has been received

appeared the underground shakings continued. country north of Sadiya." On the 13th the eruption recommenced, continucurred on the side of the volcano, an area of about 1,000 ken square being affected, and stones

The Bulletin says :- The British ship Galatea. arrived in San Francisco from Hongkong on the 27th ult., having sailed on October 18th. On Nonortheast, sky gloomy, reefed the topsails. At The San Francisco' Alta says :- The United It a.m., wind increasing, handed the reef courses. mizentopsail. At 4 p.m. rain constant and wind coming in heavy gusts. Finding the wind varying more easterly, were ship on starboard tack and made all the preparations for a blow. The barometer was down to 29, wind now blowing terrifically. At 6 p.m. the typhoon was furious and the maintopsail rope parted and the sail went to pieces. At 8 a.m. ship taking large quantities of water over the lee rail. The wind, rain, and sea were terrific; barometer 28.35. At 10 p.m. wind began to veer to the southeast and ship came to at mid-London 31st December, is to leave Singapore at night. Wind was south and the barometer began to 11 a.m. to-day for Saigon and this port. This rise, but the sea was very high and the wind still furious. At 2 a.m. barometer rising and wind veering southwest, ship laboured heavily, the sea running very high. Set the fore staysail and topsail and made sail. Found the ship had s Street, Rangoon, and took the owner, who had strong list to port, as the cargo shifted in lower hold and between decks. Examined all spars, iron-work, and stanchions and found them intact, terrent to perty crime were the American and plans will be found, and in addition a plan to latitude 39 North had unfavourable weather.

The projected exhibition of Whistler's pictures in New York cannot come off, because the secret societies. The Ordinance therefore declares formed a source of very great danger if the secret societies. The Ordinance therefore declares formed a source of very great danger if the secret societies. The Ordinance therefore declares formed a source of very great danger if the secret societies. The Ordinance therefore declares formed a source of very great danger if the secret societies. reason why the law should spare the crimalism. The large plan of Victoria has been re-Docember 26th, light, variable winds to port. visiting America.

Johan were to leave Yokohama for Kobe on the Congress has so recognized the excellent service 24th Jan en route to Kyoto. On their return of Minister Denby in China as to make it the journey the imperial party will proceed overland reason for at last promoting that mission to the and Nagoya, and embark on board a vessel at the field needs first-class diplomacy, and his tal. were present :ents have illustrated it. China is to be an increasing figure amongst the great Powers. As will be seen by the advertisement in an- Her statesmen are as acute as any in their other column, we are shortly to have an English | craft, and it has been a mistake, acquiesced Opera Company here. Salinger's English Opera in up to the present Administration, to sup-Bouffe Company, which has had a highly successful season at Singapore, will arrive from When President Cleveland offered the mission that port by the German mail steamer Nurn- to Hon. Samuel M. Wilson, of this city, the country learned that he was looking for a man of the elevated qualities required in any of the A farmer in Echigo, Japan, is reported to first-class missions to Europe. When Mr. Wilhave made a valuable find when digging. Work- son found himself unable to accept, the President ing in the vicinity of his house, he unearthed a continued his quest until his choice fell upon Col urn, but on being broken open, was found to of a first-class man, the promotion of the office mission, to Japan, was also filled with a gentleman of the first merit, and Mr. Hubbard's standing at Tokyo has been from the first foremost Lane, Crawford & Co.) s copy of Indian En- amongst the representatives of the Great Goprinted in Calcutto and edited by Mr. Pat Doyle, negotiation of the treaty which has just been C.E. The illustration is the design prepared ratified, his influential relations with the Mikado, there can be no doubt as to which alternative for the College for the chiefs of the Punjab at and his keen care for the growing interests there

> embarked detachments of the Argyll and by referring the matter again to the Finance these Societies formed for landable objects, and Sutherland Highlanders, and the 1st East Kent Committee, and he moved that the revote he ap- for providing that some officer of the Govern-Regiment, &c., for Ceylon, Singapore, and Hong- proved by the Council. kong, forwards the following account of his experiences during the gale of the 8th and 9th December:-"On Tuesday afternoon, when we. oft Queenstown, it looked fine, but the barometer was falling so rapidly that I felt sure we were in for something. About dusk it came on to The gig astern was smashed beyond repair, and also nearly all the boats on the port side. On Wednesday afternoon we had to batten down tioned. fore and aft. At 4.30 p.m. a ses broke over the starboard gangway, and smashed in the windows of the navigating officer's cabin, wetting him through, and damaging a good deal of his gear. It blow very hard all that day, with terrific squalls of hail and rain. During the squalis it blew a perfect hurricane, and the sea was mountains high. This continued from 1 a.m. on the 8th till 1 p.m. on the 9th, 36 hours, during which time we were lying to and shipping heavy seas over the weather bow and waist. Several people had had falls, and got out with broken glass, &c., but no casualties of importance oc-curred. The lowest barometer was 29.53, and the weather was as bad as any I have been in.
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> At I am on the 9th we were able to not the At 1 p.m. on the 9th we were able to set the foresail and run before it, and gradually we ran He said-Sir, I have to ask for a copy of your into finer weather. The old ship behaved very despatch because I consider that the reply of is no doubt we were in a most terrific gale."

from Peking in reference to the Additional porary:-" The hardy spirit of adventure is by this colony were discussed and practically settled Article to the Chefoo Convention and the duty no means extinct in the English race. A young in private. Since then the minutes of the Finance will not find security even when able to do on opium which has caused great construction officer in the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Committee have been published, and I am aware service, having obtained six months' leave of that it is optional for any member of this Counbeen unable to obtain a copy of the tele- absence, landed in Calcutta about the middle of cil to bring any matter that may have been disgram, which is now under the consideration November and proceeded at once to the Assam cussed in Finance Committee before the Coun- the Chief Justice, I may say that this question of of the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce. frontier, hoping to be able to enter Thibet by the cil. But I confess it is with the view of re- registration has been very seriously considered. It is believed there is some mistake in the tele- route which Needham and Wilcox followed last stricting the power of any future Governor It was felt that though it does very well in the gram, and a repetition will probably be asked year as far as Raims. He had no companion, to bring forward anything he likes in Fin. Straits, far removed as they are from China, it for. As far as we have been able to learn the A cause fitted up in the usual way, agun, a bag sace Committee and leaving it only optional would be a very serious matter here, on the any labour whatever beyond cleaning their effect of the telegram is that taxation on opium of rice, and a tin or two or Liebig's extract of for members to bring such matters before the borders of China, to registrer a society which will amount to Tis. 300 per chest instead of Tis. mest, constituted his sole impediments. He Council. I think some hard and fast rule should is looked upon by the Chinese Government The Berlin Deutsches Tageblatt rejoices at exhausted. Thus equipped, he paddled past of knowing how far the Secretary of State is ac- its various branches, there was this also the rapid growth of German influence in Japan. our frontier station at Sadiya, but did not pro- quainted with the nature of the proceedings of considered; there is no doubt that for many Herr von Mohl, it says, a man who acted for some ceed very far. A steam lannoh was sent after the Figure Committee that I ask this question. Years the Triad Society was very quiet here, that he should be discharged altogether years as private secretary to the Empress, and is him, and he was brought back to Sadiya, and His Excellency—I have no objection to lay and its object was probably mutual assistance now German Consult at St. Petersburg, has been courteously informed that he could not be allow- upon the table a copy of the despatch asked for smong the members. There can be no doubt, appointed Honsehold Affinister and chief Master ed to cross the frontier. He therefore returned by my hon, friend, although I may say that the however, that later there has been a large addiness and comfort at the public expense; of the Ceremonies at the Court of Tokyo. Not to Calcutta, and wort home in the Mirza- Governor is not bound in every case to lay his tion to its members consisting of the worst

ropean costumes, and requisitioned the services his attempt to make a dash for mysterious Thibet. of some Berlin dressmakers, who claim to turn But it may be well to discourage any further outladies robes as well and fashionably as Worth, attempt of the kind. The difficulties and dunof Paris. To this formidable record of the gers of the route are such as to have rendered move the second reading of a Bill entitled—an secret society in the select in any way connected.

The Salem (Mass.) Evening News of the 9th ult. gives the following account of Colonel Mosby the legislation against this offence by Ordinance as a lecturer :-- A fairly-tall man, with dark hair | 12 of 1845. It states that " No person shall be and a mouth that is as straight as an arrow, deep piercing eyes, represents Col. John S. Mosby, who lectured here last evening for the benefit of the relief fund of Post 34, G. A. R. Asiatic, or international exhibition to be held, on as little like the picture that was given as his men in the rear of Pope's army, the capture of Manassas by Stuart's cavalry, etc. He criticised Gen. Pope severely in the course of his remarks. The lecture was quite long, and many personal reminiscences were interspersed in it.

> REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."]

LONDON, 26th January. NAVAL RELIEFS FOR CHINA. The corvettes Callions and Cordelia are ordered to proceed immediately to China. We gave a description of the armament of these two corvettes in our issue of the 26th instant. They belong to the "C." class of corvettes and

is their first commission.—E D. P.]

The Alla California says:-We are glad that | HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. A meeting of the Hongkong Legislative Conneil was held yesterday afternoon. There

> HON. W. H. MARSH. C.M.G. Hon. Sir GEORGE PHILLIPPO, Chief Justice. Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary Hon. E.J. ACKROYD, Acting Attorney-General Hon. A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer.

Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor-General. Hon. H. G. THOMSETT, Harbour Master. Hon. P. BYRIE. Hon. Wong Shing. Hon. A. P. MACEWEN. Hon. J. BELL-IRVING. Hon. C. P. CHATER.

The minutes of the last meeting were read

Mr. A. SETH, Clerk of Councils.

COMPASSIONATE ALLOWANCE. The Acting Colonial Secretary, by order | Bill of His Excellency, laid upon the table a minute from the Acting Governor recommending the Council to revote the sum of \$870, compassionought to be adopted. The bulk of the cost of Lahore. The paper is well edited and neatly of our citizens and our Government point to the ate allowance to the widew of the late Mr. J. ment has considered in any way the desirability speedy promotion of that mission to the first. Sampson, Chief Bearding Officer to the Har- of providing-some means by which certain sociobour Department. The amount was voted last ties in this colony among the Chinese which year, and not paid, as the approval of the Secre- are known to exist simply for the purpose of pro-A correspondent of the London Globe on board tary of State did not arrive until the 31st De- viding aid to their members should not, in some her Majesty's troopship Himalaya, which left comber, and Mrs. Sampson was away from the way or another, be legalised, whether some pro-Portsmouth on the 5th Dec. with reliefs, and colony at the time. The Acting Colonial Se- vision could not be made like that which was subsequently called at Queenstown, "where she cretary thought there was nothing to be gained made in the Straits Settlements for registering

> The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded. Carried

The Acting Colonial Secretary laid upon the table the report of the proceedings of the Finance Committe at a meeting held on the 21st ciety whatever which is a secret society, and blow from the northwest, and by two a.m. on the inst. The Committee recommended the revote of every society would be secret unless some means 8th we were lying to. At 0.30 a.m. our port \$19,000 for the construction of a steam tug for are given of enabling it to be an open-society. lifeboat was washed away, and at 7.30 another the removal of rubbish, and the revote of \$8,950. Speaking from memory, the course adopted in lifeboat on the same side met a similar fate. the balance for the construction of a retaining wall at the Government Civil Hospital. moved that the Council vote the sums men-

The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded.

The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY also laid upon the table the report of the Acting Superintendent of the Fire Brigade for 1886. THE PRIVATE MEETINGS OF THE PINANCE

COMMITTEE.

Hon. A. P. MACEWEN, pursuant to notice.

well, but at times she quivered and shook from the Secretary of State shows that he could not stem to storn, and rolled very heavily. There have been acquainted with the unconstitutional practice which was in vogue during the Bowen regime, when matters, not only of The following is cut from an Indian contem- | Finance, but important affairs connected with trusted to his gan and to the native tribes on be drawn up with reference to the proceedings as wishing to subvert the present dynasty. his route for provisions when his stock had been of the Finance Committee, and it is with a view Then as regards the Triad Society and

buildings, including even a House of Parliament, tribes; a trudge on foot through a wild, desc- the Punishment of the Members thereof. The The CHIEF JUSTICE-My impression is that tain range—these are the stages by which the the Trial Society is Ord. 1 of 1845. On that are not connected with the Trial Society: Thibeten frontier is reached on this side. The consulting that Ordinance I find that in its but this applies not only to the Triad Society According to the Nichi Nichi Shimbun, the route by Darjeeling on the other hand, is singu- original shape the Ordinance was more severe but to all other societies. They cannot get up December last considerable activity was mani- Europeans, Besides, it is this high-road that der was liable to be branded on the left cheek, and representations on the matter which led to modi- clause. fications being made in the provisions of the Ordinance, and caused a very great change in considered as coming within the provisions or intention of the before mentioned Ordinance No. 1 of 1845, who shall have joined the Triad Spoity in ignorance of its designs, or under the influence of terror, of who shall not be duly It will be remembered, says the Japan Mail, Mr. Mosby is a pleasant man to talk with, but convicted of active participation in some unlaw. of the Commission were leading members of the that a good deal was said last year about an his features in repose are deeply stern. He is ful act arising out of his connection with the Chinese community. Asiatic, or international exhibition to be held, on as little like the picture that was given as his said society." As far as I have been able The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY.—There a grand scale, in Tôkyô in 1890, and that certain portrait during the war as can well be imagined. to gather I believe that no conviction has were three Chinese justices upon the Commissome reason to be surprised that two such of wisdom that fell from his lips. Col. Mosby is concerned, that Ord. 1 of 1845 has been a dead Commission before the Council because the eviin their ability to devise a Constitution which words, which is delicious in itself to listen to. ciety, and constituting a special tribunal for the world to come and witness the experiment. A of mind constantly. Last evening's lecture Chief Justice were entertained, and the Ordin- dinance to regulate the carrying and possession paragraph in the Nichi Shimbun removes was on "Stuart's Cavalry." There was a fair ance was not allowed by the Queen. Matters of arms. The Commission appointed in 1883 to neither as "Asiatio" nor "International," but as menced his locture by referring to the Seven well in statu que, but in 1881 the Triad Society of opium and other goods were of opinion the "Domestic." It is to be a Nai-koku Kangyo Haku- Days' battle which was fought behind entrench- here showed signs of vitality, but their proceed- gathering together of unauthorised armed bands rankai, or "exhibition for the promotion of home ments and in swamps. He described his capture ingsweresomewhat abated in 1882 owing to a pro- in British territory for any purpose whatever The Spanish expedition to Mindanso, to industries "—the third affair of the kind we and his subsequent incorporation in Fredericks—clamation then published. But in 1885 the Police should be prohibited and that the provision of punish a contumacious chief of that island, ar- have had in Japan, not the first. Our Tokyo burg, his exchange, the important information reported that both the European and Chinese the law now in force in reference to those perrived at Cottabato on the-14th- instant, and contemporary says that the draft scheme, pre-Commerce, has passed through the prescribed Lee. His interview with the great commander dangerous to the peace and good order of the that the system of night passes should be exwas alone, poring over some maps on the table, that the Triad Society was gaining very great bits all Chinese not holding a night pass from and no doubt planning a new campaign. Although influence. In the gaol and among the prisoners carrying arms. Ordinance 6 of 1885 was passhis manner was gentle and kind, I felt for him it enabled them to keep up communication with ed accordingly, and it gave power to the an awe-and a reverence which I never felt for their friends outside. On account of those re- Governor in Council to make orders from any other man. He was then the foremost man ports and other facts brought to the notice of time to time extending that Ordinance, 14 of in all the world, and I almost imagined that the Government a Commission was appointed 1970, to the whole colony or to any part thereof thus described in the log:—"At 8 p.m. wind I saw one of the Hemeric heroes before me. in 1886 to inquire into the matter. That beyond the city of Victoria. This has never With some embarrassment I told him what Commission received a large amount of evid- been done because it was thought on due consi-I had learned about Burnside's troops. He list ence, and the principal complaints which were deration there would be very great inconvenience The San Francisco Alta says:—The United II a.m., wind increasing, handed the reef courses. States steamer Alert has come out of the dry dock at Mare Island. She is being fitted out north-northeast and rain. At 8 p.m. handed lower called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to to these—that they protected criminals and live regulations to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to to these—that they protected criminals and live regulations to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to to these—that they protected criminals and live regulations to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to to these—that they protected criminals and live regulations to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called the colony at large and also called the colony at large and also called to a staff officer to have a courier ready to the colony at large and also called the colony at large and also take a dispatch to Gen. Jackson. At that time interfered with the course of justice, either because the remedy would not be effective. The communication was kept up between them by a by obtaining or hiring witnesses for the defence number of night passes that are now issued and line of relay couriers. The Colonel, continuing, or getting witnesses for the prosecution out of the fact that they are now transferable would related the operations at Manassas, the silent the way, that they harassed emigrants and greatly interfere with the effectiveness of the march of Gen. Stonewall Jackson with 20,000 persons returning from emigration; that they arrangement, and we would not be able to meet tyranised over the registered brothels for Chi- the evil we seek to remedy or to control the pernese, and that they injuriously affected and sons we now seek to reach. It was therefore controlled various trades and industries of the thought some other remedy should be tried. colony. Moreover that they extorted black mail Then about that time the Commission which sat from the junks and cargo boats, and that they on the Triad Society reported that some strict carried on in some cases a regular system of op- legislation should be brought in respecting the pression, exacting regular money payments from | carriage and the sale of arms. Other facts came them, that they prevented coolies from doing to the notice of the Government at the same work otherwise than in accordance with their will, time, and the recent cases of shooting that they possessed a dangerous power in and other acts of violence clearly show the gaol, that the criminal classes belonged to some fresh legislation respecting the carry. the Society in large numbers, and that they ing of arms is necessary. This Ordinance femented riots and fights. These were the chief has therefore been prepared. Section 3 prohicomplaints which were made against the So- bits any Chinese from carrying arms without ciety, and a great deal of evidence was given on reasonable excuse and punishes with fine or imthese subjects. The Commission report that prisonment any infringment. By section 4 the great weight should be attached to the evidence Governor in Council is authorised to issue liwhich was thus given, and that the Bociety had cences to any person for the carrying of arms. become a serious matter, and deserved the serious Section 8 to 16 relate to the trade in arms,

meetings of the Society, and they are prohibited. Under the second section power is given to a magistrate or justice of the peace to enter any building or dwelling house in which there is reasonable cause to believe such a meeting is being held. Section 6 relates to what shall be His Excellency The Acting Governor. prima facie evidence as to what kind of assembly shall be an unlawful assembly, and Section provides punishment for anyone attending such unlawful assembly. Section 8. prohibits any person from knowingly allowing any such unlawful assembly in any building or dwelling house which may be occupied by him or be under his control. Section 9 defines the words "member of the Society." Section 10 declares that that when any writing, or document relating to such secrety is found in any person's possession he shall be deemed a member. Section 11 mentions the exception of regularly constituted Masonic Lodges. Section 12 continues the exceptions which were introduced into Ord. 12 of 1845—that no provision of this Ordinance shall apply to any person who shall have joined any of these societies in ignorance of its design, or through fear. With these observations I move the second reading of this

> The ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded The CHIEF JUSTICE—Before the Bill is read a second time I wish to ask whether the Government, some person from the Registrar-General's Office-the Registrar General himself or his deputy or some other person—should be authorised to attend their meetings. The effect of this Ordinance, it seems to me from a hasty perusal of it. would be to prevent the meetings of any Soto register their rules, &c., at some appointed place, and as I said before, that some Government official is at liberty, at any time, to attend their

The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-We have been authorised by the Secretary of State to register any society which shall apply for it, providing such society is innocent.

The CHIEF JUSTICE-There is no provision in the Ordinance for it. The Acting Attorney-General-And if it is thought such a need exists the matter will at

once receive the attention of the Government. Hon. P. Rykie-I do not know much about the secret societies here, but I think there may be some that are not mischievous and dangerous to the peace and good order of the colony. The only exception that is made, however, is in the case of the Masons. But there are other societies. Supposing a branch of the Order of Foresters is formed here ?

His Excellency—Is that a secret society Hon. P. Ryrrs-I think so, but I am not a member of it. Then we have besides here the order of Good Templars. The Triad Society sometimes has, I believe, bad offects, but I believe there are other secret societies here which are

The Acting Colonial Secretary—Inconnection with the remarks that have fallen from vornment we shall soon be in a very serious position. If any society can show that it is a purely benevolent society there will be no difficulty in connection with it, but I do not think, after The ACIES ATTORNEY-GENERAL-I beg to consulting with various Chinese, that there is a

His EXCELLENCY-It appears to me that

The Acting Attorney-General -- Which could be done in committee. The CHIEF JUSTICE -That is so. If a clause could be inserted providing for the registration of societies not of a dangerous character, I am quite prepared to accept the Bill.

The Hon. P. RYREE-I presume the Chinese have been consulted in this matter? His EXCELLENCY—A number of the members

The Acting Colonial Secretary.—There

His EXCELLENCY—I may say that I am un-

THE CARRYING AND POSSESSION OF ARMS. The ACTING ATTOENEY-GENERAL-I move, They are somewhat larger than the corvettes attention of the Government; and they recom- When the Peace Preservation Ordinance of 1884 they relieve, and carry new armament. This mended that it should be suppressed. Accord- came into operation the quantity of fire arms ingly this Ordinance has been prepared, and I and ammunition then discovered and taken posthink, from all the evidence the Government has session of by virtue of that enactment was found before it, that it is absolutely necessary to deal to be very much greater than was ever anticihave the means of controling it if necessary, by the Acting Attorney General that, "it is not and if circumstances arise which should render | necessary to interfere with the present practice it necessary to take possession of arms it wishes of Council which has been in existence for many to know where to find them. Therefore section years and which was unanimously adopted by 8 of this Ordinance obliges all importers to re- the Standing Rules and Orders of Council gister their names and places of business at the dated 10th April, 1884." This amendment was Central Police Station and take out a licence. supported by the Treasurer and, the Chief Section 9 makes it imperative on importers Justice, and was carried by a majority of three or dealers to furnish monthly a statement of all votes. It is strange that, when Sir George Bowen the arms imported or bought by them during laid before the Council for approval on 10th the month. Section 11, punishes those who do April, 1-S4, the new Standing Rules and Orders, not make this return. Section 12 gives cortain which had been drafted by a Committee compowers to the Magistrate to hear any complaint possed of the Attorney General, the Treasurer respecting the possession of arms. Section 13 and Mossrs. Ryric (the secondor of Mr. Macgives the Magistrate power to search, and see- Ewen's resolution), Sassoon, and Wong Shing, tion 14 authorises the Governor to establish a the universal discontent and dissatisfaction, al central store or magazine for the safe keeping and leged to have prevailed for many years past, did storing of all arms and ammunition. Section 15 | not prompt some member either to object to the declares it shall be lawful for the Governor in Coun- appointment of the Finance Committee or to cil during the continuance of any, proclamation propose that its meeting should be held with servation Ordinance of 1886 to order the removal | Rules were unanimously adopted. to the said central store of all arms in the pos- 6 .- It was pointed out by the supporters of session of any importers or dealers in arms, or of the amendment that the resolution was un-Bill be read a second time.

second time I would like to made a few remarks induced the Finance Committee to vote the upon it. \$10 seems a very heavy fee to charge different items, and I admit that in this respect for a licence, and there is no provision made for they have some ground for complaint; but it charging rent when arms are stored You would seems to me that it is not the fault of the Gonot store arms in a depot without rent.

The Acting Attorney-General-Wewished simply to charge a nominal sum for the liconce in order to obtain the names of the importors and dealers. If the fee is too high there Ewen, that the public had very meagre informwill be no difficulty in reducing it.

## The Bill was then read a second times THE STATUTE LAW BEVISION BILL.

law by repealing certain enactments which have hitherte been given. When I first arrived in required, it will be seen that the Brigade is means of inducing the manufacturers of the counthat on the first occasion he hid, them in his sleep. Hongkong he Minutes of the Governor, asking under, rather than over. The necessary strength that on the first occasion he hid, them in his sleep. Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—\$46 edition of the Ordinances it would not be neces- The papers were merely referred by the Governsary to include those that were entirely quashed, or to the Finance Committee and a vote was subbut he thought it would be convenient to include sequently asked for and given without any exthose to which reference was made in Ordin- planation having been given at any time to the

edition of the Ordinances. With regard to the much keener interest is now munifested in the Ordina ces not in force, the collection of the proceedings of Government. whole of the Ordinances now deposited in the Supreme Court would afford opportunities of re- fully in the Governor's Minutes the reasons why ference to any one who had occasion to consult any votes of money are asked for; by laying be-

the data of the commoncement of the colony in explanation when the adoption of that Report is the new edition, and if any one wished to refer moved; sufficient publicity will be given to the to them he could look at the law as it stood when reasons for voting money, without admitting the the Ordinance was passed.

The CHIEF JUSTICE-And it would be use-The Acting Attorney-General proposed

No. 10 of 1865 and No. 2 of 1870. The Bill was reported with this amendment. BUSIN SS POSTPONED.

The consideration in Committee of the Libel Bill was postponed.

MARINE SURVEY FEES, was read a third time.

The Acting Attorney-General gave ustice that at the next meeting of the Council he would renow his motion for the second reading of the Bill for the better protection of women and children, and if time permitted he would also move that the Connoil go into Committee on the Cattle and Markets Ordinance.

ADJOURNMENT. . . The Council adjourned until Friday next.

THE PRIVATE MEETINGS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The following is the despatch of His Excellency the Governor to the Secretary of State with reference to the meetings of the Finance Committee:

Government House,

Hongkong, 30th August, 1886. Sir.-I have the honour to forward, for your Ousideration, and for such directions as you ma) think fit to give thereon, an extract from a of the Proceedings in the Legislative Council on the 27th astant. A motion was made on that A. P. MacEw one of the new members who took his seat fo. the first time, the practical effect of which tation would have been the abolition of the Figure Committee. His motion was lost after, lengthy debate, all the Official Members and one of the Un-official

Members voting for an an infiment.

2.—It will be seen from the pipers which I laid before the Council that, at meeting of the Finance Committee held on the July last. during the recess, Mr. MacEwen pred and carried a resolution that the Finance Committee should suspend all action, until the question was decided by the Legislative Council whether to meetings should not be held with open doors, the object being to admit reporters of the newspapers. As the meeting of the Finance Committee at which this resolution was passed, was was to stop all votes of money during the recess. requested that the action might be re-considered at a full meeting of the Committee, and I laid before them a Minute (of 17th July) pointing out the great utility of the Finance Committee, which had now been working satisfactorily since the year 1872, when the practice was borrowed from Mauritius. I also informed the Conveittee that in 1878 Governor Hennessy had made a suggestion Stanley. that the meetings of the Finance Committee should in future be o en to reporters of the parts of the colony.

3.—At the tecond meeting of the Finance pipes. Committee held on 20th July, they reversed the previous decision, and resolved that the meetings been supplied to the clock tower, and the best of dually increased until the costume as a whole the waist. He has also constructed collapsing of the Finance Committee should be carried on No 5 Station has been raised so that its sound has assumed its present form. But a dress con- boats, sledges for resoning people from drownas heretofore, until the question of admitting can be heard at a greater distance. These, how sisting only of an apper garment, and destitute ing in the ice, etc., from reindeer skin, and life. Banking in all its branches. Full descriptive the public to such meetings be considered at the ever, are anything but perfect as fire alarms, as of a skirt, is manifestly imperfect, and ought to belts filled with reindeer hair, equal to those of first meeting of the Legislative Connoil.

the German Mail Steamers. Mr. MacEwen then lengine. should be held with open doors, he moved "that tates connecting the lengths of hose. in future all matters of public interest and more | The engines have been periodically overhoused, consists of both upper garment and skirt, and, In his speech introducing the motion he refers | rent year. which decisions were undoubtedly most unpopu- what has at times been a great difficulty. lar. In 1878 when Governor Hennessy informed the Council that he intended to recommend to the Secretary of State that the meetings of the Finance Committee should in future be held in public, he appears to have made this suggestion spontaneously and not in consequence of any representations of public-dissatisfaction. 5.—The resolution of the Honourable A. P.

MscEwen was met by an amendment proposed

issued under the provisions of the Peace Pro- open doors. Instead of this, the new Standing

such arms only as in the opinion of the said necessary, since it was competent to any mem-Governor in Council are not in safe keeping or bor, when the adoption of any Report of a Fin. custody. Section 16 panishes any person refus- ance Committee was moved in Council, to ruise ing after publication of such order to deliver a full public discussion thereon without any preup any arms, and section 17 authorises the vious resolution. It has not been the practice, Governor to make from time to time any however, to do this, and resolutions which have orders which may be necessary to carry out the bean fully discussed and decided in Finance Ordinance. With these remarks I propose the Committee, have generally been passed afterwards by the Contoil without any observations The Acting Colonial Secretary seconded. or comment. The public consequently have had Hon. P. RYRIE-Before this Bill is read a no means of ascertaining the reasons which have His Excellence-That might be considered vote in favour of sums, the payment of which has been discussed and recommended by the

Finance Committee. 7.—I have felt for some time past and before the present discussion was raised by Mr. Macation on the subject of votes of money that were proposed by Government, and, if a reference is made to my Minutes of the present year, and they are compared with those of previous years. able, at any one fire, and that the hilly configura-Bill for Promoting the revision of the statute body therein much fuller information than has Hon. A. P. MACEWEN said that in the new for votes of money, were laid before the Council. public. I think it a healthy sign that the indif-

8.—I am disposed to think that by explaining fore the Council the Reports of the Finance Com-The CHIEF JUSTICE said there would be a list | mittee, which has never been done before the last of every Ordinance in chronological order from meeting of Council; and by volunteering further public to the meetings of the Finance Committee. Hon. P. RYREE said that if all the Ordinances | As has been pointed out to the Council by the were included the cost of printing would be con- Chief Justice, the Acting Attorney-General, and the Treasurer, and, as I observed in Minute of. His Excellency-It would be more than 17th July, the admission of reporters to these meetings would preclude Government in many cases from supplying important information of a wholly confidential nature. This was forcibly exemplified in the case of the recent large vote the omission from the schedule of section 6 of for Fortifications, when a great deal of information was asked for and was given which would

necessarily have been withheld, if there had been reporters present at the meetings of the Finance Committee. 9.—The question for Her Majesty's Govern-

ment to consider in this matter is, whether or not the meetings of the Finance Committee your obedient servant, shall in future be held with open doors, and it is The Bill to amend Ordinance No. 8 of 1879 | hardly necessary for me to state that I shall carry out, without any hesitation, any instructions that I may receive on this subject. The Chief Justice observed in his speech that it was competent to the Legislative Council at any time to direct the withdrawal of strangers. This has, I am informed, never been done except when the annual jury list is settled, which is always done with closed doors. Should it be Rangoon Gazette:considered desirable to admit the public in future to the meetings of the Finance Committee, this power might also be reserved for the Committee. The question is really whether reporters are to be admitted, as the public hardly ever attend meetings of Conneil, but are content to read the decoits were killed and wounded. report of proceedings in the next day's news.

paper.—I have, &c., (Signed), W. H. MARSH: The Right Honourable the Secretary of State bruary, Sir Charles Arbathnot taking over the

for the Colonies, &c., &c., &c.

REPORT OF THE ACTIN + SUPERIN-TENDENT OF THE HONGK ING

FIRE BRIGADE FOR 1886. The following report was presented to the Legislative Council, by command of His Excellocal wanapar, giving a fairly accurate report | lency the Officer Administering the Government,

vosterday afternoon:--Fire Brigade Department, 7th January, 1887.

SIR,-I have the honour to submit the following report of the Government Fire Brigade for of the women of Japan :the year ending 31st December, 1886. During the year the Fire Brigade has performed important work which, as regards efficiency, is creditable, though not by any means per-

The rapid growth of the Colony demanding additional facilities for extinguishing fires, I recommended the Government early last year to purchase two additional Steam Engines which I proposed to station in the eastern and western districts to be on the spot in case of fire occurring in either locality. The Government sauctimed the purchase of one engine which is on its bay from England, and a Steam Fire Pump has been fitted to the Steam-lunch Stanley, which not a full one, and as the effect of the resolution if placed at the disposal of the Brigade, will bring up the strength of the available Fire Engines to the tolowing :-

No. I Merry weather, floating steamer. No. 2 Merry weather, land steamer. No. 3 Shand Mason & Co., land steamer. No. 4 Shand Mason & Co., land steamer.

No. 5 Shand Mason & Co., land steamer expected from England.

Our staff at present consists of :-1 Superintendent. 1 Assistant Superintendent. 1 Assistant Superintendent and Engineer. 1 Clerk.

1 Assistant Engineer. 2 Engine Drivers, Chinese. 3 Engine Drivers, Europeans. 2 Assistant Engine Drivers, Europeans.

6 Stokers. 1 Overseer of Water Works. 1 Inspector of Dangerous Goods. I Chinose Assistant Do.

2 Foremen. 4 Assistant Foremen. 17 Firemon, Europeans. 46 Firemen, Chinese. 30 Fireman, Market Coolies. 10 Chinese Contingent.

15 Watchmen. FLOATING ENGINE. 1 Assistant Foreman and Engine Driver. 1 Chinese Engine Driver. 1 Stoker.

Since the post of second Assistant Superintendent has been abolished and the joint appoint. away to the scene of the fire, and must leave centuries ago, borrowing only modifications from

the Engines in charge of the next in command. the increased duties and responsibilities.

the burning houses.

for a growing Colony like Hougkong. The supply of water from the new Waterworks (in course of construction) will materially if my suggestion with regard to telephonic com-

sure due to their untiring exertions. vigilance of the Police.

number of alarms of Fires, and estimated damage for the past year .- I have the honour to be, Sir, JOHN S. BREWER,

Acting Superintendent Fire Brigade. The Honoursble F. Stewart, L.L.D., Acting Colonial Secretary, &c., &c., &c.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

The following telegrams are taken from the The popularity of the Gilbert and Sullivan

MANDALAY, 10th January. Lieutenant Macdonald, H. M.'s Ranger, was killed yesterday, in an encounter with decoits near Shemaga, Kyoukmyoung District. There was no other casualty on our side, but several

CALCUTTA, 11th January. General Roberts leaves Burmah on 6th Fe-Command. General Roberts on return to India

leaves at once for the Peshin Valley. A meeting is to be held to day in the Town Hall, the Lieutenant Governor presiding, to consider the question of the Jubileo Celebration. A large public meeting will be held in a ing virtue. Strange to say (remarks an American journal), it appears to be eminently the few days...

THE EMPRESS ON JAPANESE FEMALE COSTUME.

Her Imperial Majesty the Empress of Japan, addressing the wives of the high dignitaries and nobles of the Empire, has given expression in the following views with respect to the dress

skirt. Following in the wake of the administrative reforms instituted in the period of Taikwa in the reign of the Emperor Kotoku, a 1t would make our neighbours in Europe specific style of court costume was fixed and laugh, says the Dominion Churchman, if they established in the reign of the Emreror Jito; knew that the oldest church in America was away his money to a near neighbour. From while later, during the reign of the Emperor once stolen, and carried away seven miles; but Gensho, the folding of the left side of the dress such is the fact, and these are the circumstances Jean went up to his brother's bedroom and broke over the right side was prohibited. Still later, as we learn from the New England Magazine. in the time of the Emperor Shomu, a decree was A church was built on the Sparsen Hill, Wickpromulgated throughout the empire ordaining ford Rhode Island, in 1,707, but in burst-quarthat all women should adopt and wear a style of ters of a century the people had moved to a more dress which had been established by law. The now costume consisted of an upper garment and Not liking to walk seven miles each Sunday, a skirt, and in some cases women went the length some proposed in Vestry that the church should of wearing two skirts, au inner and an outer. be moved. The few, however, who remained in This oustom, however, was afterwards probibited the original settlement violently opposed such a by statute. Thus, until the middle ages, the proceeding. One evening the people of Wickwomen of this country, both in cities and in the ford mustered their forces, collected all the oxen. raral districts, continued to wear a skirt, which placed the church on wheels and rolled it down was generally of a scarlet colour. But about the hill to the place where it now stands. When this period dissensions arose among the members | the people on the hill woke up and found their of the Imperial Family as to the succession, and, churce gone, if they were not good church No. 6 Deane's (floating) fitted in steam-launch a Northern and a Southern Court being formed, people, they must have used some very queer

the country was for a long time the scene of Manuals—9 in number stationed in different civil discord and warfare. Under such circumstances our women were compelled by necessity that it. like the old dress of Japanece women, several of these articles.

and that it dates principally, if not wholly, from water spring tides in obtaining water at various tion will certainly tend to impart a powerful wears ago, and, strange to say, it latterly began rations, 28 cases hair, 17 packages rationware, the resolutions passed this year in favour of a parts of the Praya, when the floating engine stimulus to the progress of manufactures and of to turn black again." Her youngest son survives and I case furniture. further large vote for Fortifications and of the proves invaluable. The dredging operations, the fine arts in Japan, while at the same time it her, and is now 56 years old. His mother, then, raising of the Loan at home instead of here, both when completed on the fore-shore, will remove will confer no inconsiderable benefit on mer- must have been fifty when he was born, and this chants and others. It may therefore be expect- would seem to suggest a doubt as to the actual ed confidently to be productive of good in many age of this second Sarah. Still the date and respects other than the mere improvement of the place of her birth are given, and in the interests | This year's New Malwa...\$525 per picul, alloe, of costume of our women. Passage from an old of the mortality tables the story should be fail to be attended by great and in many instances Indian Daily News now reports the death in be exercised, if the wearer's expenses are kept aged 108. "This," says the writer of the para-

be possible to attain the object hoped for without and my hopes in reference to this reform in the a tour round the world. They left Bremen on

contains of Japanese women." The Japan Mail, commenting on the above. says:-"Elsewhere in our columns will be found an authorized translation of an expression of opinion by Her Imperial Majesty the Empress only fourteen years old, and so for he did not on the subject of female costume in Japan. It is a document of very great interest, not only. because it definitely nattles a question which many people believed to be still open, but also because it throws a new light on the matter. Her Majesty makes it quits plain that the ladies of Japan are not invited to adopt a wholly foreign the management of the machine in descending costume; but that they are rather to revert to | hills. the fashions which provailed in their own country when 'standing eliquette was practised ment of Assistant Superintendent and Engineer at the Imperial Court. Conservatives who have has been made, a reater responsibility has fallen been gronning over the terrible radicalism of on the Acting Assistant Engineer, as the En- recent times, may, therefore, take comfort. The gineer in his dual capacity is frequently called fair sex of Japan are to dress as they dressed

the West. And they are further recommended Looking to the increased duties that devolve to use materials manufactured in the country as upon the Engineer and his Assistant, who now far as possible. We fear that this suggestion have to keep in an efficient state six steam engines will not be easily followed at first. It is too and nine manuals, I consider the remuneration, much to expect that the ladies of Japan, when which was voted at a time when there were only they set about wearing a costume which is quite two steam engines, is somewhat, inadequate to strange to them, will have sufficient courage and ber last, a new feature was introduced in the if some Princesses and Peeresses set the example, form of competition at Fire drills for prizes, others will be found to follow it. But at the which acted as a stimulus to the members of the outset, nine ladies out of every ten will be Brigades and gave them greater interest in their rendered so timid by the consciousness of inwork; and amongst the Chinese particularly, experience that their one idea will be to have this has resulted in bringing to the front some foreign clothes as purely foreign as possible. really valuable firemen. As an instance of the By and by, doubtless, they will venture to give a day or two before the hearing of an important vernment, if the Unofficial Members give a silent efficiency of the Brigades, I may mention that the rein to their own fancies. But until that at the recont fire which occurred in Bonham time comes, foreign haberdashers are going to He had brought with him a bundle of papers Strand on a Sunday afternoon, within the space make a vast deal of hay. There is no question connected with the suit in question, and these of a few minutes of the alarm being sounded, about that. What we have to hope, -what we he took with him to his bedroom. On the followthirteen powerful jets of water were plying upon should confidently expect if the manufacturing ing day the packet could nowhere be found. cooperation of foreigners and Japanese were logal | Careful search was of course, made, but quite in At first sight our Brigade appears to be not -is that Japanese manufacturers will adapt them. vain; and eventually the advocate had to go into only adequate as regards machinery, but also selves to the new demand. We hope it because of court without it. Years passed without any numerically, but when it is borne in mind that our belief in the capacity of the Japanese people, tidings of the missing bundle, till the same numerically, but when it is borne in mind that the mind who, with their remarkable dexterity and admirgentlemen chanced to be once more the guest at able at any one fire, and that the hilly configure able art instincts, ought to supply the needs not of Minto, and occupying the same bedroom. The tion of the Colony often requires two origines to their own ladies only, but of a considerable section morning after his arrival he awake to see the of a dostume at once graceful, sensible, and ad- discovered. assist in extinguishing fires in the upper levels mirably suited to its wearers. We cannot help of the Colony, and also in early stages of all fires, lamenting it as things stand. Our belief is munication is adopted. But the value of water nese ladies. Some change of fashion was un- Malet. "When at Frankfort I had the honour everything in force would be included in the new to public expenditure has passed away, and that before) it would be impossible to concentrate not have involved a return to that most irrational Legation was accredited to several of the minor such a body of water at any one given point from and bizarre of all costumes, the European skirt. courts, and at one of them I was even more aphydrants as could be obtained by steam Engines, There was the most perfect form of divided preciated than my chief. This was why. Occaand the superiority of salt water over fresh, for skirt—the hakama—waiting to be brought into sionally there was a ball at the court, which we extinguishing fires is universally acknowledged. wide use. Europe and America, in their heart were expected to attend. At my first ball sup-I cannot close this report without mentioning of hearts, are all for a divided skirt. They fully per I found myself at a table next to a grandee the able assistance I have had during the past appreciate the senseless inconvenience of the hag gorgeous in stars and ribbons. The servant year from the Officers of the Brigade. I may in which a lady imprisons herself now. But came to pour out champagne. Now I detest

> We are greatly indebted to the Captain favour. We believe that if Japanese ladice had Superintendent of Police for the excellent order worn the hakama in Western society, they Mr. Thomas Dearne, who, it seems, has been kept by his Force at the various fires. The would have solved the much vexed problem of accused of selling his wife, publishes the followsystematic working of the Brigads, and absence female costume. To Japan would then have ing explanation of the transaction in the Heremalicious injury to hose and larceny of accrued the honour of doing for Europe and ford Times :- As the reports which have been Government property, is greatly owing to the America in respect of dress what she had already published do not fairly represent my conduct in done in respect of decorative art. But the op- the above-named transaction, I send you my own

> > of Western civilization. OBLA PODRIDA.

Government is about to order, probably in was reported that Powles and myself left the France, nine new ironcisds and 28 torpedo boats. house together, and went to my home "to settle

draw large and highly appreciative audiences at A Frenchman who edited a journal called Le

Mousquelaire, has been expelled from Belgium for publishing articles demanding the annexation. of his pocket, and asked if I'd got sixpence. He of Belgium to France.

"Why so?" "Recause he is now sans Pittié." Vicarage-street, Leominster, December 9, 1886. "The trouble," said Horace Mann, in a moment of despondency, "is that I am in a hurry, and God Almighty never is." Patience is a sav-

qualification of a pagen Chinese, and hardly ever the attribute of a Christian American. Judging from the latest trustworthy reports that have reached the Labore paper, the state of things in Afghanistan is fairly quiet just now, a widower, and saved a small fortune. His broand may be expected to remain so for the present. This at least is the opinion of good judges; but Afghanistan is a land of surprises. On the one hand, the feeling of hostility against Ameer Abdul Rahman is very strong; on the other, "In ancient times the costume of the women

convenient settlement, seven miles lower down.

A Norwegian engineer, Herr W. C. Moeller, Press, but that suggestion had been disapproved No. 2 engine has been 16 years in service, and to content themselves with only one upper garbas has made some important discoveries as to the buoyancy of reindeer hair and skin. He has under the circumstances I should not feel casing which will render the engine serviceable of dress continued long after the conditions that found that a reindeer skin weighing I 7.10 kilo-had prompted its introduction ceased to exist, grammes, rolled up and with hair outward, will giving it effect, until after I had reported the matter for the decision of the Secretary of State. centres have been supplied with hose and stand garment simply lengthened to cover and protect dinary cork life-belt. Moreover, the reindeer the lower limbs. In recent years, since the later has the advantage of warming a porcen, if Missionaries, Chaplains, &c., in every part of the With regard to fire alarms, a new bell has period of Warpe, the width of the belt was gra- formed in the shape of a life-belt and worn around Missionaries, Chaplains, &c., in every part of the considerable time must of necessity elapse be be supplemented in some way on the lines of the cork. Herr Moeller further finds that a suit 4. A special meeting of Council was held on tween the outbreak of a fire and communication ancient costume of Japan. Moreover, civilizar made from reindeer hair, weighing only one-half Advt. 27th instant, in order to renew the French Mail to the station. This has been proved several tion has reached a stage never yet attained in kilogramme, will save a man from drowning, even Steamers Ordinance, which expired on the 1st times by the advanced state which the confathe past history of this country, and everything if it has been in the water for some time. It
september, and to pass a similar Ordinance for gration had reached on the arrival of the first seems to point to the necessity of reviving the can be made in any thickness and it is warmer old "standing etiquette" of the Naniwa Court, I than other materials. He is confident that suits brought forward a resolution in a different | The whole of the bose for the steam engines for it is evident that the sitting form of etiquette | made from reindeer hair with in time, supersede shape. Instead of moving as in Finance Com- has been fitted with couplings on the Metropoli- can no longer hold its place in society. If we those made from oilskin. The life-saving esmittee that the meetings of that Committee tan Fire Brigade pattern which greatly facili- examine the dress of Western women we find tablishment at Gotenburg has already procured

particularly the voting of public funds be dis and carefully examined and tested, and are all in further, that not only does it lend itself readily The late Mr. Thomas professed to discredit and 106 packages andries. For London-45 cussed openly in Council and not as heretofore at first rate order, though I should recommend a to the requirements of the "standing etiquette" all the stories of people living for more than a bales silk, 174 bales waste silk, and 8 cases silks. private meetings of the Finance Committee." new Fire-box for No. 3 Engine during the our- but also affords every facility and ease for handred years, and he discovered flaws in the Per steamship Jason, sailed on the 27th changes of posture and for the movement of the ages of most of the centenarians whose history January :- For London-38,850 lbs. scented to "the discontent and dissatisfaction which Weekly drills have been held for instruction limbs. It is, therefore, only right and proper he investigated. Mr. Thomas theory, however, caper. 47 cases sundries, and 5 packages carios. have prevailed for many years past," on the subject of the private meetings of the Finance duties, when steam has been raised on each encommon to the subject of the private meetings of the Finance duties, when steam has been raised on each encommon to the subject of the private meetings of the Finance duties, when steam has been raised on each encommon to the subject of the private meetings of the Finance duties, when steam has been raised on each encommon in India. The Manila—6 cases cigars. From Foochow for Madrus Mail recently gave an account of the South America—300 packages tea. "confined to two or three persons; but has been His Excellency has proved successful in the in- about this costume reform, there is one con- death in that easy-going city of Mrs. Ursula Per American bark Haydn Brown, sailed on universal for many years past." Since I came to creased attendance at weekly parades, and great-sideration that ought to receive very special Lucy Batchelor at the ripe old age of 106. Her the 27th January:—For New York—7,014 the Colony in 1879, I have never heard of this er attention to cleanliness and dress. The whole attention, and that is the necessity of utilizing eye-sight was good, and she was able to move packages fire crackers, 1,711 rolls matting, 593 alleged universal discontent and dissatisfaction, of the Chinese firemen have been supplied with as far as it is at all possible the fabrics manu- about easily. "She had lost her teeth, but, packages cassis, 500 packages rattan reed; 328 nor can I find any evidence of its existence in belts and hosewrenches, and have been instruct- factored and the materials produced in this extraordinary to relate, fine sharp teeth were cases fans. 201 bales straw braids, 198 packages the past, and I believe that any diseatisfaction which may now exist is far from being universal.

| Considerable difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are designed to grow, the points being quite hides, 170 cases essential oil, 117 bales wool, 106 properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of, then the reform in questions are difficulty frequently arises at low properly made usl of the properly made usl of t 

Two English bioyelists have, says the Indethe 7th December, and were due in Paris on the evening of the 17th. From Paris they were going on to Lyons, from thence to Nice, and would pass through Italy. The younger of the two is seem at all affected by fatigue. They are very lightly clothed and do not even carry a knapsack, not wishing, as they say, to add to the weight of their machines. Their bicycles differ from the ordinary type, having the small wheel in front.

A remarkable feat was accomplished by Peall at the Westminster Aquarium on the 13th 1 December, where in a contest in which he was conceding Collins 300 points start in 1,000 all in, ho wou what is known as a "love game," making after the initial misses breaks of 139 and an unfinished 861. These breaks, in the face of what has recently been done on the billiard table, were not in themselves extraordinary, but there have been very few instances in first-class billiards in which one player has made his game before his opponent has scored, the most noticeable being when the late Fred Shorter beat Joseph Bennett at the Gaiety Restaurant some of John Roberts, the champion. Both these cases, however, were in handicaps where the heats were 500 up.

An eminent lawyer was on a visit to Minto, in the lifetime of the second earl of that name, and case in which he had been retained as counsel. will be less cause to lament the disappearance but where he hid and found them has never been

that an unique opportunity was open to Japa- story in referring to the late Sir Alexander specially mention Mr. Wagner, who has been who should be the first to step out of the old this wine, so I shook my head. The grandee acting as Engineer and Assistant Superinten- groove? Where was there to be found pluck undget me and said, 'Let him pour it out.' This dent, Mr. Bae, the chief foreman, and Mr. enough among women to risk anything that I did, and he explained to me that the potentate Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, L Campbell, Acting Assistant Engineer. These concerned their personal appearance? Japan whose hospitality we were enjoying never gave officers have devoted a great deal of time and might have taken the initiative. The hakama his guests more than one glass, 'so you see, if I attention to their respective duties and the pre- already worn by many young ladies, and recently drink yours I shall have two, and he suited the sent efficiency of the Brigade is in a great mea- adopted, in a horriby disfigured form, as the action to the word. After this there used to be Court dress, needed only to be taken into general quite a struggle to sit near me at court suppers."

Subjoined is a tabulated form showing the portunity is not to be utilized. Very sorry we account of it, which I hope you will, in justice do not ignore the reasons which have counselled Times. On Wednesday, Oct. 27, George Powles The Paris Figure states that the Danish him Powles had been "great" with my wife. It "Mikedo" seems to increase, as it continues to I went out in the street, and sang a verse op-"And now," said one Parisian to a tother, M. him the change, being very glad to get rid of Gravy will no longer indulge his propensity for her. I had long tried to get rid of her, and had remitting the capital sentence upon oriminals." made application to the Beach.—Thomas Dearne.

palling circumstances has been tried before the Ardéche Assizes, and sheds a gruesome light on a hideous side of the character of too many French peasants. The pair of malefactors tried in the Ardéche killed their brother in his bed, and cut up and boiled his remains to feed their pigs. The indictment stated that the brothers Faure lived together in the hamlet of Barnas, in the Ardeche mountains. Claude, the elder, was ther Jean, who was idle and covetous, was in a state verging upon misery. He had married a woman named Rosine Flancher, who, it is said, urged him to all manner of wickedness, and she of Japan consisted of an upper garment and a there is a pretty general belief in his luck and seemed to have remotely inherited the character penal servitude for life having been an accessory to burning a woman alive. Claude had the misfortune to say that he intended to leave that moment he was a doomed man. One might in his head with a crowbar. Behind him were his wife and her brother, an ex-policeman, who were abetting him. They all three carried the body downstairs to the stables, where they sawed it to bits, and after this boiled the remains in a cauldron together with potatoes and cabbages for the pigs. Jean buried the bits of skin in a field, and threw away the bones in a mountain rift. These precautions availed them nothing. The neighbours suspected a foul murder and helped the police to find the few festering remains, and then the murderers owned to their guilt. In Court Jean Faure attempted to cast all the blame upon his wife, who, he said, had urged him on by threats of poison, and set him when drunk to do the deed. Rosine was then ushered in. She first denied everything, but when the presiding Judge told her what her husband had said, she cried out to him, "Wretched man, I wanted to save you, and I would have taken all upon my own shoulders." Here Jean Faure Heighong.... 80.05 bb was taken ill, and so the Court adjourned.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. FRIDAY, 28th January

EXPORT CARGOES. Per steamship Saghalien, sailed on the 25th Humidity ..... January :- For Continent-272 bales silk, 12 bales waste silk, 6 bales cocoons, 45 cases silks,

Quotations are :--

EXCHANGE. undue lavishness. These are my sentiments pendance Belge of the 17th December, started on On London.— Telegraphic Transfer ......3/33a 3/3 Bank Bills, on demand Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ......3/4 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 3/4 Credits, at 4 months' sight ......3/4 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' N PARIS.-Bank Bills, on demand ......4.19 Credits, at 4 months' sight ......4.29 N NEW YORK .-This, it appears, adds to the speed and facilitates' Credits, 60 days' sight ..........821 N BOMBAY.-Telegraphic Transfer ......220: ON CALCUTTA -Bank, on demand ......2203 n Shanghai.—

Quotations are: -- . At the Annual General Inspection in Novem. hitherto been applied to such a purpose. Perhaps

China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$90

Mr. Labouchers in Truth relates the following

had an altercation about my wife. He had been interfering with other business of mine, and I told him he was "great" with my wife. He said, "I shall stick to her" Supt. Johnson then came in to see what the noise was, and I told grievances. This is incorrect, as Powles has nover been inside the house. About closing time. posite George Powles's. He then came out, and I went into Ned Bradford's. He pushed in after me, and said, sneeringly, "I'll give you sixprace for her." I said, "Darn my butsaid, "I'll give you sixpence for her." I gave

A case of the murder of a brother under ap-

into a new order of things, as in this case, cannot carefully examined. Not to be behind-hand the Last year's New Malwa. \$540 per picul, alice. of existence until death gives relief from suffering. pain, or difficulty in breathing after eating P Is

Bank, at sight ......71t Private, 30 days' sight ......721 SHARES.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-144 per cent. premium. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$83 per share. North China Insurance—Tla. 280 per shure. Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tis. 114 per

Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-\$180 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148 per share. Canton Insurance Office, Limited-\$75 per share, ex div., sellers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$430 per abare.

per share, sollers. Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's Shares-119 per cent, prem. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares-\$81 per cent. prem. ndo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-5 per cent. discount, sellers. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited

-30 per cent. discount, nominal. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares \$125 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$195 per

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$125 Luzon Sugar Reaning Company, Limited -\$58 per share. Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$40 per

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -3120 per share. Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company -\$15 per share, sellers. Punjom and Sunghie Dus Samantan Mining Company, Limited-\$172 per share, buyers. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per

mited-\$52 per share. Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co. Limited.—60 per cent. discount. S. Watson & Co., Limited-32 per cent premium. Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co.

-imited.—10 per cent. prew. Singapore Insurance Company, Limited. -322 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 A-2 per cen-Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-6 per cen-

premium. are that such should be the decision, though we to me insert in your widely-circulated Hereford | Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-8 per cent no break in the uniformity of Japan's assimilation and myself were at the Blue Boar Inn, when we | Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-5 per cent. Chinese Imperial Government 1885 Dollar Loan

-3 per cent. premium. HONOKONG TEMPERATURE. (FROM MESSIS, FALCOSES & Co.'s REGISTER.) January 28th: Barometer-9 A. 2. ,......50,010 Barometer-1 P.W. ......29.940 Thermometer-Minimum (over night)

HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE

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The height of mean sea-level has been determined at 7.586 feet above zero of the tide-gangemt the Victoria Naval Yard; and the Low-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, to which datum the heights in these Tables are referred, as 5.535 feet above The heights in the Tables marked with a minus ( — ) eigh are below Low-Water Ordinary Spring-Tides, and should be subtracted from the constants given above.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER...

Bith January, 1887, at 4 r.M. Shanghain 80. il Windi-

SO.98 89 91 xm 30.25 NO.80 4 57 N 2 b The Barometer has fullen and gradients for N.E. winds have decreased. The temperature is low, the humidity high, and the weather overcast and wet along the coast.

W. DOBERCK. Hougkong Observatory, 28th January, 1887. METLOROLOGICAL REGISTER. Provious On date On date

at 1 p.m. 30.05 arometer' comperature ...... Direction of wind ... W.S.W. N.W. Force of wind ...... Weather ..... 1.—Baronurus reduced to \$2 degrees Februsheit and to the level of the ses in inches, teaths and hundredths.
2. —Tangung result in the shade in degrees Fahrenhait. 3.—Huntpirr in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturature with moisture being 100. d.—Drangton of the Wind to two points.

6.—Force of the Wind according to Beaufort Scale.

6.—State of the Weather: B. blue sky; C. detected clouds: D. drizeling rain; F. fog; G. gloomy; H. hail; L. lightning; O. overcast; P. passing showers; Q. squally; R. rain; S. snow; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. dow (wet).

7.—Rass in inches, tenths and hundredths.

W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 28th January, 1887. WE SHOULD BLOT OUT DISEASE IN ITS EARLY STAGES.

The disease commences with a slight derangement of the stomach, but, if neglected, it in time involves the whole frame, embracing the kidney, liver, pancrens, and in fact the entire glandular 2 catties. system; and the afflicted drags out a miserable I to 14 catties. The disease is often mistaken for other complaints; has just received a Fresh shipment of WINTER diestions he will be able to determine whather he himself is one of the afflicted:—Have I distress.

there a dull, heavy feeling, attended by drows ness? Have the eyes a yellow time? Does & thick, sticky-mucous gather about the gums and tooth in thomornings, accommanied by a disagree -able tastor Is the toughe conted? Is there pain in the sides and back? Is there a fullness about the right side as if the liver were onlarging? Is there costiveness? Is there vertige or dizzinass when rising suddonly from an horizontal position? Are the secretions from the kidneys highly coloured, with a deposit after standing to Does food ferment soon after enting, accompanied by flatulance or belching of gas from the stomach? Is there frequentpalpitation of the heart? These various symptoms may not be present at one time, but they torment the sufferer in turn as the dreadful disease progresses. If the ease be one of long standing, there will be a dry, back. ing cough, attended after a time by expectoration In vory advanced stages the skin assumes a dirty brownish appearance, and the hands and feet are covered by a cold sticky perspiration. As the liver and kidneys become more and more diseased, rheumatic pains appear, and the usual treatment proves entirely unarailing against the latter agenising disorder. The origin of this malady is indigestion or dyspepsia, and a small quantity of the proper medicine will remove the disease if taken in its incipionoy. It is most important that the disease should be promptly and properly treated in its first stages, when a little medicine will effect a cure. The screet and most effectual remedy for this distressing complaint is "Seigel's Curative Syrap," a vegetable preparation sold by all chamists and medicine vendors throughout the world, and by the propriotors, A. J. White, Limited, London, EtC. " East-street Mills, Cambridge-heath,

" London, E.C., July 24th, 1882. " Sir,-It gives me great pleasure to be able to add my testimony in favour of your valuable Syrup as a curative agant. I had suffered for some length of time from a severe form of indigestion, and the long train of distressing symptoms following that disease. I had tried all possible means to get relief, by seeking the best medical advice. I had swallowed sufficient of their stuff to float a man-of-war, so to speak, but all to no avail. A friend of mine, coming on the scone in the midst of my sufferings, brought with bim a buttle of your Seigel Syrap ; he advised me to try it stating he felt confident it would benefit me. Being weary of trying so many drugs I condomned it before trial thinking it could not possibly do me any good, but altimately determined to take the Syrap. After doing so for a short time if worked such a change in mo that I continued taking it for nearly two months, and I then felt thoroughly cared, for I have discontinued its use for five weeks, and feed in the best of health, and can partake any kind of food with case and comfort. I am therefore trankful to you that, through the instrumentality of your valuable medicine, I am restored to the state of health l now enjoy.—Yours tray.
"To Mr. A. J. White." "W. S. FORSTER.

" Waterloo House, Lundon Stile, Chiswick, " February 17th, 1882.

Mosars. White and Co., Lundon. " Gentlemen, -It is with great pleasure that l add my testimony to the wonderful effects of Beiget's Syrup. For years I had been suffering from bilious attacks, which began with giddiness; then a mist would come before my eyes, so that I should not be able to recognisey an one or saything at the distance of a yard or two from my face. This would be followed by excessive trembling of my knees, so that I could not stand without support; after which a severe headache would occur, lasting often two or three days. I have tried various remedies for these distressing symptoms, but until I tried Seigel's Syrup I had no relief. Since then I have had excellent health in every respect, and if ever I feel a headache coming on I take one dose of the Syrap, which arrests it. Hoping that this testimonial may be the means of including others (who suffer as I used) to try the Syrup, as I feel sure they will receive speedy benefit and ultimately be cured, I beg to remain, yours faithfully, "A. H. HORTON. 2170--3|

MAHAS EXPECTED.

THE INDIAN MAIL. The Inde-China steamer Taisong, with the next Indian mail, left Singapore on the 23rd, and may be expected here on or about the 30th instant.

THE GERMAN MAIL. The Norddentscher Lloyd steamer Nurnberg with the Gorman mail of the 28th December. left Singapore at 6 p.m. on the 24th, and is due here on or about the 30th instant.

THE TRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer, Leaouaildy, with the French mail of the 31st December, leaves Singapore at 11 a.m. on the 29th January, and may be expected here on or about the still l'ebruary. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 23rd November.

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The D. D. R. steamer Bellona left Singapore on the afternoon of the 20th, and is now due. The P. & O. extra steamer Khica left Singapore at 7 a.m. on the 23rd, and is due here on or about the 30th instant. The N. G. 1. steamer Arthimedeleft, Singapore

on the 23rd, and may be expected here on or about the 30th instant. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadics oft Port Darwin on the 21st, and may be ex-

pected to arrive here on or about the 31st inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s stermer Lucries left Singapore on the 23rd, and is due here on the 30th instant. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Achilles left Singapore on the morning of the 27th January.

and is due here on or about the Srd February. The Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer General Werder left Bremen on the 2nd January, and is due here on or about the 16th February.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

LOCAL DELIVERY-No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.

The authorised List of Mails issued in

connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Manila.-Per Emeralds, to-day, the 29th inst., at 4.30 P.M.

For Haifong.-Per Activ, to-day, the 29th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Shanghai.—Per Glenfruin, on Monday, the 31st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Straits and Calcutta.—Per A. Apcur, on Tuesday, the 1st February, at 2.30 P.M. For Straits. Colombo, and Bombay. Per Poseidon, on Wednesday, the 2nd February, at 11.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per

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HEAT, SMALL POX. MEASLES, ERUPTIVE or SEIN COMPLAINTS, and various other altered CONDITIONS of the BLOOD, the GREAT REMEDY	BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANG, Esq.	Captain Hamlin, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 29th instant, a		A CAN THE WINDOWS IN THE 17th	Pilet Fish Poseidon Powan	Jan. 24 Doneich Lefarour	Brit. etr 117 H. & W. Deck Co A. str 2510 AH. bloyd's S. N. Co Triesto Brit. str 1842 H., C. & M. Steamboat Co Canton
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"for the Fever had obtained a strong hold on me. In "a few days I was quite well."—C. Fitzgerald, Esq., Correspondent of the Minchester Guardian in Albaria.	Contributory Dividends are payable to all	Hongkong, 27th January, 1887.   22 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	3 NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES)		Stettin Taviol Thomas	Jan. 20 F. Warnkes Jan. 20 McCorkindale Jan. 27 W. A Seato	Brit. str 1349 Adamson, Bell & Co
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9. FINGBURGE AVENUE, LONDON, ENGLAND, [1175] CHURCH ORGAN FOR SALE.	Secretary.	NOTICE.  STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE, ANI NAGASAKI.	MELBOURNE.	Hongkong, 12th January, 1887.  STEA FOR.  SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO	Ore: on Professor Moh:		Amr. sh 1386 Melchers & Co S. Francisco Nor. bk 956 Order
HOUGHOR, are propared to receive		(Passing through the INLAND SEA).  "HE Company's Steamship	W. M. Dodd, Commander, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 9th February.	ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA. GIBRALTAR BRINDISI ANCONA	tute of Main	Sept. 24 A. Morgan Cot. 29 Nickels ov. 16 Estival	Amr. sh 1357   Carlowi's & Co   Hamburg   Amr. sh 1467   P. & O. S. N. Co   Span. bk   992   Order   Poit see   264   Archeld Forbard & Co
OFFERS for the PURCHASE of the existing ORGAN in that CATHEDRAL.  This instrument was built by BRYCESON &	pany, are authorized to Livis Dick against	Cantain E. F. W. Warnkes will leave for the	. I Sunuviae Adams adation affanadher this Stanman	BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND			Brit. sch   364   Arnhold, Karberg & Co Amr. sh   1210   Admisson, Bell & Co
Co., ondon, in 1860, and has three manuals. 2k octaves of pedals and 28 stops, including a fine 16 feet Open Diapason (wood).	Hongkong, 1st January, 1882. [16	For Further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,	ward of the Engines. Second Class Passengers are accommodated in the Poop. A. Refrigerat-	N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS MARSETLES TOTERS HAN	*		M GAO.
The Organ was rebuilt and renovated in 1870, when 4 New Stops were added, and a Tremulant.  The TRUSTERS will take down the Organ, but	INSURANCE COMPANY.	Hongkong, 26th January, 1887.	ing Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.	Alwine Kiang ping	Dec. 31 P. Moos Holmes	Ger. str 400 Ed. Schellbass & Co. Chi. str 360 C. M. S. N. Co.
packing and removal must be effected by the Purchaser.	HE Undersigned having been appointed. Agents for the above Company are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire	D21404 1144	Hongkong, 20th January, 1887. [193] NORDDEUTSCHER, LLOYD.	NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship	Recorder	May 28 J. H. Dutto	e Brit. atr   "288   H. C. & M. steamboat Co   Canton
koog with the New Cathebrah Organ, and intending Purchasers might arrange with him as to erecting the instrument.	on the usual terms.	Porteau, Master, will be despatched for the above Port on the 1st February, at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,	NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL	"MALWA," Captain G. W. Atkinson, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON volume OMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on TUESDAY, the 1st February, at			
Apply to the SECRETARY, St. John's Cathedral,	FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877. IN HAMBURG.	Houghong, 26th January, 1887. [216] FOR SING, PORE, PENANG, AND	THE Company's Steamship "NURNBERG,"	Four P.M. Corgo will be received on beard until TEN A.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the	,	Jan. 21 R. Kohler Jan. 10 C. F. Collins	WHAMPOL,  Fuit. str   814   Siemssen & Co  Gitt. sch   381   Order
991] Hongkong. FOR SALE.	Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT RISKS at Current Rates.	CALCUTTA.	Captain Bardrow, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail.	Silk and Valuables for Europe will be tran-	Kutsang Lersang	Jan. 21 Young Jan. 27 Sawer Jan. 20 Warwick	Brit. str 1425 Jardine, Matheson & Co Brit. str 1093 Jardine, Matheson & Co bi. str 1838 C. M. S. N. Co
HAMPAGNE "MONOPOLE."  — HE DSIECK & Co.—	PUSTAU & Co., Agents.	"ARRATOON APCAR," Captain A. B. Mactavish, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 1st	For Further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hougkong, 26th January, 1887.	for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colomba.  For further particulars regarding FREIGHT	Toonan .	Jan. 25 Davidson Jan. 25 Marsden Oot. 14	Dun. str   76%   Wieler & Co Chi. str   1261   C. M. S. N. Co Chi. str   —   Chinese
MONOPOLE RED SEAL (medium dry).  Do. RED Foil "Sec" (dry).  Dor Gold Foil "Day" (extra dry).  CARLOWITZ & Co.,	NOR H GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	February, at Three P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,	NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.	and Passage apply to the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Office, Hongkong.	1		
Sole Agents for Herbsieck Co., Reims, For Hongkong, China, and the East,	THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above 5. Company, are prepared to GRANT INSURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-	Hongkong, 28th January, 1887.   229  OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	NOTICE. STEAM FOR	The Contents and Value of Packages are re-		(a) Wasan	CANTON. Siam. bk   489   Chinese
Hougkoug, 1st July, 1885. [1204] GUN FOR SALE.	class risks at ourrent rates.  MELCHERS & Co.	FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Kinopo, Chefoo, Newchwang, Tientsin,	BRINDISI, ANTWERP,	E. L. WOODIN,	Falcon .	June 23 Jorgensen	Slam. bk 359 Chinese
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the Table 1 Ta	The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.	Cantain Scale: will be described as shove	LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL- TIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,	PACIFIC MAILSTEAMSHIPCOMPANY.	Hermann	Nov. 28 Traulsen	IN FORT ON IOTH DECEMBER, 189.  SAILING VESSEL.  Ger. bk   444   Lauts & Hasslow
now. To be had a bargain for \$50, Apply, Care of Daily Press Office.	SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.  THE COMPANY'S STRAMERS WILL CALL AT	I DATE WATER WATER, AND TO CONTINUE AT	Loony Wha Perle	Nov. 20 Lord Dec. 1 O'Brien	Brit. sch   374   Lauts & marsle P Brit. bk   480   Lauts & Has-cop
Hongkong, 22nd January, 1887. (202) FOR SALE.	Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. (14) THE LONDON ASSURANCE	AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.	AND LUGGAGE.	NEW YORK," will be despatched for			AMOY.
BRAUEREI "ZUR EICAR," KIEL,	MAJESTY KING GEOEGE THE FIRST.  A.D. 1720.	STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISL, & TRIESTE.	PLACES IN RUBSIA.	San Francisco. via Yokobama. on SATURDAY, the 12th February. at Three P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States and Europe.			IN Pope on 19th January, 1887.
\$8 per Case of 4 dozen quarts, EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Solo Agents, Hongkong and China.	HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are	(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK SEA, LEVANT & ADRIATIC PORTS).	"NURNBERG," Captain Berdrow, with	Through Bills of Lading issued for trans- portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities	Chateaubriand Guarmas	Nov. 7 W. Faikio Nov. 1 J. Edwards Dec. 30 Krng	Bris bk 449 Boyd & Co Rat. bk 408 H. A. Petersen & Co der. bk 311 H. A. Petersen & Co
Hongkong, 4th November, 18%. [2073]	prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—  MARINE DEPARTMENT  Policies at current rates payable either here	"POSEIDON."	MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above.	of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the	L'Avvenire	Dec. 3 Reg rs	Brit.sch 351 H. A. Petersen & Co Brit.sch 249 Pasedag & Co Ger. sch 197 Pasedag & Co
ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR,	in London, or at the principal torts of India, China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT.	For Further Particulars regarding Freight	Cargo will be received on Board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 20th of February, 1887. (Parcels are not to be sent on	Company's and connecting Steamers.  Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines	Отеда	Jan. 6 Broyn	Brit. bk   4 0   Bayd & Ca
FOR THE DESK,  In RED AND BLACK.	LIFE DEPARTMENT.	pauy, Praya Central.  O. BACHRACH,	Hoard; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.  The Steamer has spleaded Accommodation.	of Steamers.  RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco			FOOCHOW.
In RED IMITATION MOROCCO CASE.	Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000; at reduced rates.  HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  Hongkong 26th July 1872	Hongkong, 19th January, 1887. [5] OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.  Linen can be washed on Board.  For Further Particulars, apply to	for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare: if re-embarking within one year,	Diamon! City	Jan. 14 Sars	IN PORT ON 15TH JANUARY, 1887.  SAILING VESSELS.  Siam.bk   2.0   Master
PRICE ONE DOLLAR.  KELLY & WALSH, W. BREWER, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. [13]  GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.	FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship	MELCHERS & Co., Agents,	an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-paid Return Passage Orders, avail- able for one year, will be issued at a Discount	10	- 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	SHANGUAL.
FOR SALE.	HE Undersigned having been appointed Accepts for the above Company, are	"DEUCALION," Captain Asquith, will be despatched as above on THUASDAY, the 3rd February.		of 25 % from Return Fure. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.	** : A	3-2	In Port on 21st January, :887.
8/1 per case of 1 dozen quarts.	FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.  PUSTAU & Co.	For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 27th January, 1887.   113	"OREGON"	Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the day previous to sailing, Parcel Packages will be received at the Unico will Law same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to	The state of the s		STEAMERS (EXCLUSIVE OF RIVER OWAFT)  Fr. str   3776   Mossageries Maritimes
Contraction of the second of t	Hongkong, 1st April, 1885 (1997) THE LATEST ADVANCE IN LIFE INSURANCE.	STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA- SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA).	For Freight, apply to MELCHERS & Co.	address in full; value of same is required.  Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo  destined to Ports beyond San Francisco	Cito El Dorado	Jan. 15 Brackwoldt Dec. 6 Jeckson	Brit. str 892 J. rdine, Matheson & Co. Brit. str 618 Jardine, Matheson & Co.
\$25 per case of 1 dozen quarts.  CLARET, CHATEAU LAROSE.  \$18 per case of 1 dozen quarts.	THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY'S	THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "THIBET."	FOR VICTORIA (V.I.)	in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Colloctor of Customs at San Francisco.	Funyshun Hae-an	Dec. 11 E.W. Tisdall Dec. 12 Andrew Dec. 5 Wells	Chi. str   864   C. M. S. N. Co Chi. str   920   C. M. S. N. Co Chi. str   716   C S. N. Co
S14 per case of 2 dozen pints.  PONTET CANET.  \$9.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts.  PALMER MARGAUX.	5 YEAR DIVIDEND POLICY	will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 4th February, at DAYLIGHT.  E. L. WOODIN,	"ENOS SOULE," Y. T. Soule, Master, will load here and will	For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A. Queen's Road Central.	Hat-ting Hangehow	Dec. 12 Patterson Jan. 17 Robinson Jan. 17 Gyles	Brit. str 999 C. M. S. N. o Brit. str 999 Butterfield & Swire Brit. str 899 Butterfield & Swire
\$7.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$8.50 per case of 2 dozen pints.	any 5 Year period, and receiving for his Policy a cash surrender value together with his share of accumulated surplus apportioned as a dividend.	Acting Superintendent, Hongkong, 21st January, 1887.  OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	have quick despatch.  For Freight, apply to  MELCHERS & Co.	C. D. HARMAN, Agent. Hongkong, 24th January, 1887.	ngebo g Kiang-feo	Dec. 19 Geodfellow Inne 25 Kleffel Inn 14 Bassett	Brit. str 1048 Butterfield & Swire B it. str 437 Russell & Co Chi. str 1468 C. M. S. N. Co
JOHN WALKER & SONS' OLD HIGHLAND WHISKEY.	If death occur, the full amount of the Policy will be paid immediately on proof of death, together with a Mortium Dividend of 50 per Cent of all	FOR SHANGHAL. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates	Hongkong, 21st January, 1887.   196   FOR PORTLAND (OREGON.)	THE KOWLOON FERRY.	Kung Wo Kwang-lee Malwa	Nov. 5 Jan. 18 Andrew Jan. 3 W. Atkinson	Brit str 600 Jardine, Matheson & Co Ohi, str 1508 C. M. S. N. Co Brit str 1959 P. & O. S. N. Co Ten ata 1006 Jardine, Matheson & Co
\$8 per case of 1 dozen bottles.  ALSO.  CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s	premiums received during the 5 Rear period in which death may happen.  Prespectus and full particulars may be had on	for Ningpo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Hankow and Ports on the Yangtsze).	"COLOMA," C. M. Noyes, Master, will load here and will	"MORNING STAR"	Nagoya Maru J	Jan. 18 alker Dec. 17 Peters Dec. 23 Lancaster	Jap. str. 1096 ippon Yuser Kaishia Brit. str. 808 Butterfield & Swire Chi. str. 870 C. M. S. N. Co. Brit. str. 827 Jardine, Matheson & Co.
WINES AND SPIRITS. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hougkong, 1st January, 1884.   19	application to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Acting Agents.	Captain Anderson, will be despatched as above	nave quick despaten.	the 21st October, 1886.	Shanghai	Jen. & Ferlie	Chi. str 544 C. M. S. N. Co Brit. str 1198 Butterfield & Swire Brit. str 999 Butterfield & Swire
FOR SALE. AT WHOLESALE PRICES.	Hongkong, 13th January, 1887. [61]  HENIX FIRE OFFICE	on SATURDAY, the 5th February.  For Freight or Passage, apply to  BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  Hongkong, 28th January, 1887.	Hongkong, 21st December, 1886.   2391	Leaves Leaves Leaves Leaves Kowloon Hongkong Kowloon Hongkong 7.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M.	Store Nordiske J Tai-yusa	Jan. 6 Hildebrandt Van. 19 W. M. Dodd	Dan. str 595 G. N. Telegraph Co Brit. tr 1459 Butterfield & Swire Brit. str 951 Butterfield & Swire
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